



SPECIAL INDIANA BALLOT FOR ABSENT UNIFORMED SERVICES VOTER OR OVERSEAS VOTER

State Form 47002 (R8 / 9-07)
Indiana Election Commission (IC 3-11-4-12)

(ABS-3)

PLEASE NOTE

To be eligible to cast this ballot, you must be an absent uniformed services voter or an overseas voter (who is registered to vote in Indiana and has applied for an absentee ballot) WHO WILL BE OUTSIDE OF THE UNITED STATES ON GENERAL ELECTION DAY (NOVEMBER 4, 2008).

In September, county election officials in the county where you are registered will mail you regular absentee ballots containing the names of candidates and political parties. If your county election board receives **BOTH** this ballot and your regular absentee ballot, **THIS** ballot will be rejected and your regular absentee ballot will be counted, if it otherwise complies with Indiana law.

VOTING INSTRUCTIONS

To vote for a statewide office on this ballot, you must write in *either* a candidate's name or a political party in the space provided. You may use ink. **DO NOT** use stickers, labels, rubber stamps, or similar devices.

You may vote for different parties for different offices. If you write in the name of a political party, your vote will be counted for the candidate nominated by the political party for that office.

If you write in the name of a candidate, your vote will be counted **IF** that person is a declared candidate for that office in accordance with Indiana law. You may print or legibly write the name of a candidate or political party. If you use an abbreviation, misspelling, or other minor variation in a candidate or party name, your vote will be counted **IF** your intent can be determined.

To vote on a public question, make a voting mark (X) on or in the box.

DO NOT MAKE ANY OTHER MARKS ON THIS BALLOT

MAILING INSTRUCTIONS

This ballot is designed to be mailed in the same envelope as your Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot.

MILITARY VOTERS: You can get your federal envelope and absentee ballot from your unit's voting assistance officer at your military installation.

OVERSEAS VOTERS: You can get your federal envelope and absentee ballot from any U.S. embassy or consular office.

NOTE: *Your county election office does **NOT** mail the federal envelope or ballot with this state ballot.* Detach, fold and insert this ballot into the Official Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot Security Envelope. Remove the tape from the Mailing Envelope and seal.

If you do not know where to find a Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot, contact the Federal Voting Assistance Program by telephone – (800) 438-VOTE (8363) or (800) 966-8683 or by FAX – (703) 693-5527.

Enter your name and current complete military or overseas address in the "FROM" section on the Mailing Envelope. Enter the name and mailing address of the proper county election official in the "TO" section on the Mailing Envelope. Consult the current edition of the *Voting Assistance Guide* for correct address.

↓ DETACH HERE, FOLD AND INSERT INTO OFFICIAL FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT ↓

STATE OFFICES

Governor _____

Attorney General _____

Superintendent of Public Instruction _____

STATEWIDE PUBLIC QUESTIONS

Indiana Supreme Court

Shall Chief Justice Randall Shepard be retained in office?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Shall Justice Theodore R. Boehm be retained in office?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Shall Justice Brent E. Dickson be retained in office?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Indiana Court of Appeals, Fourth District

Shall Judge Carr L. Darden be retained in office?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Indiana Tax Court

Shall Judge Thomas G. Fisher be retained in office?

☐ Yes

☐ No